Free-oil Containment and Recovery, Shallow Water – Located up current and upwind to maximize recovery.

Passive Collection – located at high tide line.

Snare Booming

Staging Area

Restricted Area

Implementation Notes:
Staging at campground.

Clam Gulch, CCI-05

Center of map at 60° 14.4' N Lat., 151° 25.3' W Lon.

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<td>CCI-05-01</td>
<td>Clam Gulch</td>
<td>Nearshore waters in the general area of: Lat. 60° 14.4 N Lon. 151° 25.3 W</td>
<td>* Maximize on-water recovery in the offshore &amp; nearshore environment / outside the mudflats. Deploy nearshore strike teams upwind and up current of the beach. Use aerial surveillance to locate incoming slicks.</td>
<td>Multiple nearshore free-oil recovery strike teams as required to maximize interception of oil before it impacts sensitive areas.</td>
<td>Ninilchik Harbor or Homer Harbor</td>
<td>Via marine waters. See NOAA Charts 16661-1 or 16660-1.</td>
<td>Same as CCI-05-02. Strong tidal currents, shoal waters and rocks. Vessel master should have local knowledge.</td>
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<td>CCI-05-02</td>
<td>Clam Gulch</td>
<td>Located 14 mi. NE of Ninilchik on the east side of Cook Inlet. Critical Habitat Area from Clam Gulch road south to Corea Creek. Features include mixed sand and gravel beaches with sheltered and exposed tidal flats. Tidal flats can extend up to 3 mi. offshore at low water. One fathom curve along shore extends outward to 3/4 mi. and the three fathom curve at 1.2 mi. offshore. Lat. 60° 14.28 N Lon. 151° 24.23 W Docks - none.</td>
<td>* Deploy passive collection resources (snare boom) along shoreline near high tide line. Seasonal Restriction Shoreline is typically covered with shore-fast ice from November - April. Place 3600' + of snare boom along shoreline to minimize impact and passively collect spilled product. Note: Resources represent 1 passive unit. Multiple units may be required depending on the area/quantity of shoreline to be protected.</td>
<td>Equipment 1 ea. passive collection unit 3600 + ft. Snare Boom 1000 ft. line Misc. anchor materials 1 ea. wildlife hazing kit Support 1 ea. shelter. ATV’s with trailers (or) Vessels class 65/6 (or) Trucks &amp; trailers Hip waders for personnel Personnel/Shift 6 ea. deploy &amp; set-up (per mi.) 6 ea. tend &amp; maintain (periodically, per mi.)</td>
<td>REPORT any cultural resources found during operations to the FOSC Historic Properties Specialist. Shallow draft skiffs launched from offshore support vessel. Helicopter Beach access with ATV’s or trucks from access road at Clam Gulch. Seasonal Restriction Shore-fast ice November-April</td>
<td>Clamming (May - September) Waterfowl and shore bird concentrations (May - September) Heavy recreational use (June - September)</td>
<td>Very difficult and unsafe to protect exposed tidal flats. Take care not to work or walk on oiled shoreline, to avoid driving oil into the soils. Monitor incoming tide regularly during deployment for safety of personnel and equipment. Passive collection can generate considerable solid waste. Resources should be periodically monitored and replaced when saturated. Seasonal Summer response only, due to shore-fast ice typically present from November - April.</td>
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